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UPDATE

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1. UPON ARRIVAL IN BAMA KO, CHIEF OF PROTOCOL WILL BOARD AIRPLANE TO GREET MISS LILLIAN. HE AND AMBASSADOR BYRNE WILL DISEMBARK TO JOIN RECEPTION GROUP, AND MISS LILLIAN AND HER PARTY WILL THEN DISEMBARK.

2. FOREIGN MINISTER BEYE WILL BE ABSENT FROM MALI FOR BELGRADE NAM AND LOME CONVENTION NEGOTIATIONS DURING THE ENTIRE TIME OF MISS LILLIAN'S VISIT. MISS LILLIAN WILL THEREFORE BE WELCOMED AT THE AIRPORT JULY 30 AND SEEN OFF AT THE AIRPORT AUGUST 2 BY THE ACTING MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION, LT COL YOUSSEUF TRAORE, MEMBER OF THE RULING MILITARY COMMITTEE FOR NATIONAL LIBERATION (CMLN) AND MINISTER OF NATIONAL EDUCATION. MINISTER OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT FAGNANAMA KONE WILL ALSO BE PART OF THE WELCOMING GROUP, IN ADDITION TO THOSE ALREADY SHOWN AS WELCOMING THE PARTY: NATIONAL UNION OF MALIAN WOMEN (UNFM) PRESIDENT DIOP AND CHIEF OF PROTOCOL MACALOU.

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3. WE WERE INFORMED JULY 25 THAT PRESIDENT TRAORE WOULD BE ABSENT FROM BAMA KO JULY 31. LUNCH THAT DAY WILL THEREFORE BE GIVEN AT THE PRESIDENTIAL PALACE IN KOULOUBA (OVERLOOKING BAMA KO) BY VICE PRESIDENT OF THE CMLN (AND MINISTER OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE) LT COL AMADOU BABA DIARRA. TIMES PREVIOUSLY NOTIFIED REMAIN UNCHANGED.

4. THE CELEBRATIONS FOR PAN AFRICAN WOMEN'S DAY WHICH MISS LILLIAN AND PARTY WILL VISIT IN BAMAKO BETWEEN 1600 AND 1715 MONDKP, JULY 31, WILL TAKE PLACE AT A SINGLE LOCATION, IN FRONT OF THE "BOURSE DE TRAVAIL," WHERE PARADES AND FESTIVITIES USUALLY ARE HELD.

5. THE RECEPTION/BUFFET OFFERED BY THE UNFM AT 2030 HOURS JULY 31 WILL INCLUDE GOVERNMENT MINISTERS AND THE DIPLOMATIC CORPS AMONG THE GUESTS.

6. ON TUESDAY, AUGUST 1, THE ATTACHE C-12-A AIRCRAFT (IF IT IS OPERATIONAL) WILL TAKE MISS LILLIAN, MME. DIOP (UNFM PRESIDENT), MINISTER OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT KONE, AMBASSADOR BYRNE, MR HARDEN, AND MR HATHCOCK. REMAINDER OF MISS LILLIAN'S PARTY ABOUT 10 MALIANS, AND WJOUT 10 MEMBERS OF THIS MISSION WILL TRAVEL IN THE AIR MALI AN-24.

7; THE LUNCHEON OFFERED AUGUST 1 BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE 5TH BREGION AT MOPTI WILL BE HELD AT THE GOVERNOR'S RESIDENCE.

8. CAR ASSIGNMENTS FOR MOTORCADE FROM AIRPORT AND PROBABLY ALSO FOR ALL OTHER MOTORCADES ARE AS FOLLOWS:

UNNUMBERED - LEAD POLICE CAR.

UNNUMBERED - CHIEF OF PROTOCOL.

CAR #1 - MALIAN SECURITY VEHICLE (WITH ONE US SECURITY OFFICER).

CAR #2 - (AMBASSADOR'S SEDAN) - MISS LILLIAN, AMBASSADOR BYRNE, UNCLASSIFIED

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AND MR HATHCOCK.

CAR #3 - (EMBASSY FOLLOW-CAR) - US SECURITY OFFICERS AND ONE MALIAN SECURITY OFFICER.

CAR #4 - CONGRESSMAN WHALEN, CONGRESSWOMEN COLLINS, AND UNFM PRESIDENT MME. DIOP.

CAR #5 - ACTING MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION TRAORE, ASSISTANT SECRETARY MOOSE, AND DCM GRANER.

CAR #6 - MINISTER OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT KONE, MR HARDEN, AND USAID DIRECTOR LEVIN.

CAR #7 - MRS MOOSE, MR. T W M SMITH, AND PEACE CORPS DIRECTOR HOMEYER.

(CARS LISTED ABOVE WILL PROCEED FROM THE AIRPORT TO THE AMBASSADOR'S RESIDENCE; THOSE LISTED BELOW WILL PROCEED FROM THE AIRPORT DIRECTLY TO THE HOTEL DE L'AMITIE.)

CAR #8 - MS FRASER, MR PETTY AND MR FELL.

CAR #9 - MR SCHAFER, DR MATHIAS, AND MS PORSON.

CAR #10 - (PRESS MINIBUS) - MR SAUNDERS, MS APPLE, MR CHOMIAK, MS SLEET, TDY ICA OFFICER LASOR, AND ACTING PAO CRAVEN.

CAR #11 - MS HANSON, MR SALTER, AND MS STACK.

CAR #12 - MR BAKER, MR LUCAS, DR STONE, AND DR WILLIAMS.

CAR #13 (WHICH MAY FOLLOW SOME TIME AFTER THE MOTORCADE) -
MR SALAZAR AND JAO/DIRECTOR GEISEL.
CARS #14 AND #15 - CREW.
CAR #16 (EMBASSY CARRYALL - BAGGAGE FOR THE RESIDENCE AND DCM
HOME.
CAR #17 (LARGE EMBASSY TRUCK) - BAGGAGE FOR HOTEL.

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9. OF THE ABOVE VEHICLES, NINE ARE PROVIDED BY GRM. IN ADDITION,
MISSION WILL HAVE AVAILABLE AT AIRPORT TWO POOL CARS (TO BE BASED AT
THE RESIDENCE) PLUS FOUR POOL CARS AND A COURIER VEHICLE (TO BE
BASED AT HOTEL), NUMBERED 101 TO 107. THEY WILL BE SUBSTITUTED FOR
MOTORCADE VEHICLES IF NEEDED.

10 FOREGOING VEHICLE ASSIGNMENTS WERE MADE ON THE BASIS OF PARA-
GRAPH 5 OF STATE 169468. WE HAVE JUST LEARNED FROM RSO, HOWEVER,
THAT MISS LILLIAN PREFERS TO HAVE MR HARDEN IN THE SAME VEHICLE
WITH HER. SUCH AN ARRANGEMENTS COULD BE MADE, BUT IT WOULD BE A
TIGHT SQUEEZE: THE ONLY WAY WE SEE WOULD BE TO PLACE HIM IN THE
FRONT SEAT BETWEEN THE DRIVER AND MR HATHCOCK, WHO WE ASSUME MUST
HAVE OUTSIDE SEAT. MOVING MR HARDEN WOULD TAKE AWAY THE SENIOR
VISITOR WE ENVISIONED RIDING WITH THE MINISTER OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT.
PLEASE CABLE REACTION IMMEDIATE, SO THAT WE MAY INFORM GRM PRO-
TOCOL.

11. WE ARE AWARE THAT MISS LILLIAN SHOULD NOT BE REQUIRED TO
STAND FOR ANY SIGNIFICANT LENGTH OF TIME, AND WE ARE SO NOTIFYING
GRM.
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